

HOUSE BILL 1826
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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 55, relative to the traumatic brain injury fund.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-55-304, is amended by deleting the language "§ 55-10-401," and by substituting instead the language "§§ 55-10-401, 55-10-415, or 55-10-418,".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 55, Part 3, is amended by adding the following as new, appropriately designated sections:

Section 68-55-305.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, in addition to any other fines imposed by § 55-10-416, for consumption of alcoholic beverage or beer or possession of an open container of alcoholic beverage or beer while operating a motor vehicle, there is imposed an additional fine of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each such violation to be earmarked for and paid into the general fund reserve account created by § 68-55-401.

Section 68-55-306.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, in addition to any other fines imposed by title 55, chapter 9, part 6, for driving a passenger motor vehicle without the driver or a passenger, who is a child under the age of sixteen (16) years of age, properly restrained, there is imposed an additional fine of five dollars (\$5.00) for each such violation to be earmarked for and paid into the general fund reserve account created by § 68-55-401.

Section 68-55-307.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, in addition to any other fines imposed by § 55-10-101, for leaving the scene of an accident resulting in injury to or death of any person, there is imposed an additional fine of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each such violation to be earmarked for and paid into the general fund reserve account created by § 68-55-401.

Section 68-55-308.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, in addition to any other fines imposed by § 55-10-502, for drag racing, there is imposed an additional fine of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each such violation to be earmarked for and paid into the general fund reserve account created by § 68-55-401.

Section 68-55-309.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, if a court finds a person to be a habitual offender as defined in § 55-10-603(2), there is imposed an fine of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) to be earmarked for and paid into the general fund reserve account created by § 68-55-401.

Section 68-55-310.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, in addition to any other penalties imposed for the following offenses, there is imposed an additional fine of

twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for each such violation to be earmarked for and paid into the general fund reserve account created by § 68-55-401:

- (1) Reckless endangerment by use of a motor vehicle under § 39-13-103;
- (2) Vehicular assault while intoxicated under § 39-13-106;
- (3) Vehicular homicide under § 39-13-213;
- (4) Aggravated vehicular homicide under § 39-13-218; or
- (5) Evading arrest in a motor vehicle under § 39-16-603(b).

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2003, the public welfare requiring it.